



The *TOWN of SAHUARITA* is one of Arizona's fastest growing communities. It is home to approximately 28,000 residents who enjoy the benefits of a high quality life: affordable homes, safe streets, scenic beauty, a wide array of recreation amenities, and a growing business environment with an easy access to interstates and an international airport. Our community is thriving, vibrant and diverse– the result of the quality growth approach by Sahuarita's elected officials, Town staff, and community leaders working together.



**Come join our law enforcement family**

## **POLICE OFFICER ACADEMY GRADUATES & LATERALS**

**Annual Salary Range: \$45,760 - \$66,352**

**Hourly Salary Range: \$22.00-\$31.90**

**(Does not include specialty pay or overtime)**

**Closing Date: Friday, October 2, 2015 at 5:00pm**

The *TOWN of SAHUARITA* is seeking dedicated and motivated *Police Officers* to join our professional and progressive police agency. Members of the department have opportunities to grow and develop through special assignments and collateral duties, many of which may include specialty pay.



- Patrol
- Investigations/Detectives
- PIO
- FTO
- SWAT
- Hostage Negotiator
- School Resource Officer
- Motors
- Bike Patrol
- ATV Patrol
- Task Force positions (DEA, CNA)
- Police Instructor (Firearms, DT and more)
- Officer Crime Scene Investigation Team
- Any many more...

To view the complete job description and requirements, visit our website at [www.sahuaritaaz.gov](http://www.sahuaritaaz.gov)

***Sahuarita Police Department Mission Statement***  
***"Making Sahuarita a Safe Place to Live, Work and Play"***



**Work where you make a difference and the community supports you!**



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Closing Date: Friday, October 2, 2015 at 5:00pm



*The Town of Sahuarita is currently seeking recent non-sponsored Academy Police Officer Graduates and Laterals to join a professional and progressive police agency*

### Application Requirements:

- Completed online Town of Sahuarita Application
- Notarized AZPOST Background with all required attachments
  - High School Diploma or GED
  - DD-214 (if applicable)
  - Certificate of birth or other verification of citizenship
- Link to AZPOST Background: [https://post.az.gov/sites/default/files/content/PH\\_2011.pdf](https://post.az.gov/sites/default/files/content/PH_2011.pdf)



**\*\*All application materials must be received in the HR Department by 5:00 pm Friday, October 2, 2015.**

- No photocopies or previously completed AZPOST background will be accepted.
- No emails or facsimiles will be accepted.
- Candidates that are invited to participate in the physical assessment and written assessment will be notified through email no later than Tuesday, October 6, 2015

### Academy Graduate Requirements:

- A completed Town of Sahuarita Application
- Transcripts showing successful completion of a sworn AZ POST Police Officer Academy within the last 6 months of date of application.
- Notarized AZPOST with required certificates
- Ability to pass physical assessment
- Ability to pass written assessment
- Oral Board Assessment
- Police background check & finger prints
- Medical Physical with drug screening/polygraph/psychological exams

### Lateral Officer Requirements:

- A completed Town of Sahuarita Application
- Notarized AZPOST with required certificates
- Certified Officers-requires current possession AZPOST Cert or other state certification as a peace officer
- Ability to pass the written assessment
- Ability to pass the physical assessment
- Oral Board Assessment
- Police background check & finger prints
- Medical Physical with drug screening/polygraph/psychological exams

### Physical/Written Assessment Process and Dates:

- **Physical Assessment:** Saturday, October 17, 2015 at Southern Arizona Law Enforcement Training Academy (SALETC) 8:00 am - 12:00 pm \*\* The Police Officer Physical Aptitude Test (POPAT) will be first. The POPAT consists of a 500 yard run, 99 yard obstacle course, 165 lb. body drag (32 feet), climb over a 6 foot chain link fence, and a climb over a 6 foot solid wall.
  - Candidates that do not pass the POPAT will not be invited to take the written assessment.
- **Written Assessment:** Saturday, October 17, 2015 at the Town of Sahuarita - Town Hall- Council Chambers 2:00 pm-5:00 pm  
Written Assessment – Must receive an overall minimum score of 70% to pass. Candidates with the highest written assessment scores will be invited to an oral assessment interview. The remaining candidates will be placed on an eligibility list for positions that may become open through June 30, 2016
  - Candidates invited to an oral assessment interview will be notified through email by Tuesday, October 20, 2015.

### Oral Board Assessment/Fingerprints Process and Dates:

- **Finger prints and Oral Board Assessments:** Wednesday, October 28, 2015

**APPLY NOW!**

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<http://sahuaritaaz.gov/Index.aspx?NID=184>

### BENEFITS

The salary range is **\$45,760 - \$66,352** with a generous benefit package including paid vacation, sick leave and holidays. The town pays 100% of employee medical, dental and life insurance. Employees may elect to participate in short term disability, health and dependent care pre-tax spending accounts, and additional employee and dependent life insurance. The Town is a member of the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System. The Town also offers Tuition Reimbursement and other training opportunities.